

ATIC NO. 115-2 DATE 29 July 1950
AF NO. 115-2 1000 ft. AGL
REPORT NO. 115-2 Civil
DATE OF REPORT 29 July 1950 DATE IN TO ATIC 115-2
TIME OF SPOTTING 1415 MST COLOR Aluminum
SHAPE Flying ALTITUDE 1000 ft.
SIZE 35' overall SPEED 300 ft. per sec.
COURSE E to N LENGTH OF TIME ON SPOT 1 min.
NO. IN GROUP 1 TYPE OF CLOUD Ground
NOTES 115-2 MANEUVERS 115-2 straight course.
SKETCHES 115-2

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THE INSPECTOR GENERAL USAF
17TH DISTRICT OFFICE OF SPECIAL INVESTIGATIONS
KIRTLAND AIR FORCE BASE, NEW MEXICO

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29 July 1950

SPOT INTELLIGENCE REPORT
SUBJECT: UNIDENTIFIED AERIAL PHENOMENA

TO: Director of Special Investigations
Headquarters, United States Air Force
Washington 25, D. C.

1. SYNOPSIS: On 15 July 1950, at approximately 1415 hours (MST), Mr. JOHN J. HODGSON, assigned to station GM-4, Los Alamos, New Mexico, home address: 1945-B 40th Street, Los Alamos, New Mexico observed a bright metallic, aluminum colored object. Said object was viewed for approximately one (1) minute from a window.

2. DETAILS: On 19 July 1950, Mr. [REDACTED] stated that he had seen a metallic object, shaped similar to a flying wing on 15 July 1950. This observation was made from a window on the north side of the "Gamm Building", Los Alamos, New Mexico. The following information was furnished by the interviewee:

- a. Date of Sighting: 15 July 1950
- b. Time of Sighting: 1415 hours (MST), in sight for approximately one minute.
- c. Where Sighted: Los Alamos, New Mexico
- d. Number of Objects: One (1)
- e. Observable Celestial Phenomena or Planets That May Account for the Sighting: None
- f. Distance of Object from Observer:
 - (1) Internally or Horizontally: Approximately fifteen (15) miles
 - (2) Angle of Elevation from Horizon: 15 degrees
 - (3) Altitude: Undetermined

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g. Time in Flight: Approximately one (1) minute

h. Appearance of Objects:

- (1) Color: Aluminum
- (2) Shape: Similar to Flying Wing
- (3) Apparent Construction: A wing with a transparent section near the center and without fuselage
- (4) Size: 35 feet overall

i. Direction of Flight: East to west over mountain range

j. Tactics or Maneuvers: Tearing but followed a straight course

k. Evidence of Exhaust: None

l. Effect on Clouds: None

m. Lights: None

n. Supports: None

o. Propulsion: None

p. Control and stability: No comment

q. Air ducts: None

r. Speed: 300 MPH

s. Sound: None

t. Manner of disappearance: Lost vision of object from window

u. Notes relative to observers:

- (1) Name: [REDACTED]
- (2) Address: [REDACTED] Los Alamos, New Mexico
- (3) Occupation: Assigned to G.I.-4, AFSC
- (4) Place of business: Los Alamos, New Mexico
- (5) Pertinent hobbies: Unknown
- (6) Ability to determine: Average
- (7) Reliability of observing: Unknown
- (8) Former sightings: None

v. Witness: None

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3. ACTION: Report furnished Headquarters, Office of
Special Investigations.

RICHARD G. COX
Major, USAF
District Commander

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